

Overview of ORAU and ORISE

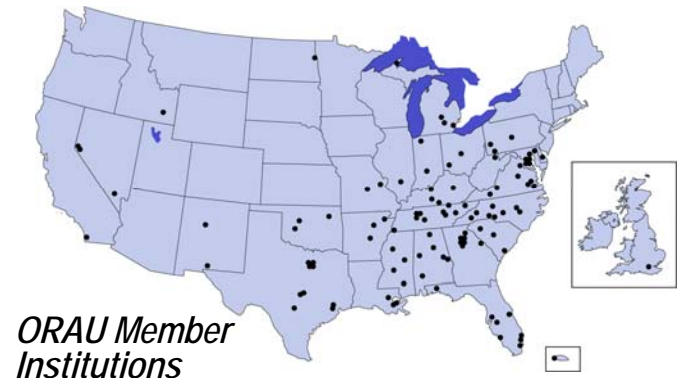
East Tennessee Veteran's Business Conference

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Oak Ridge Associated Universities

ORAU is a . . .

. . . University consortium focused on advancing scientific research and education through partnerships



. . . Partner with UT-Battelle to expand university collaboration with Oak Ridge National Laboratory



. . . Federal contractor managing the Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education for DOE



ORAU/ORISE Common Business Focus



Worker/Public Health
and Environmental
Stewardship

Emergency Response
and WMD National
Preparedness

Science Education,
Workforce Development,
and Scientific Reviews

850 employees -- \$230 million annual budget

ORAU manages the Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE) for DOE and several other significant contracts

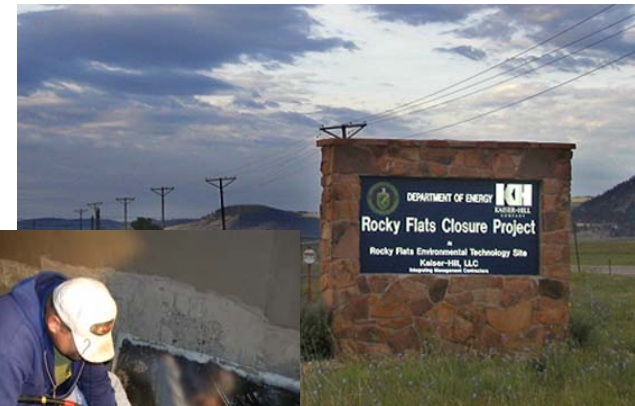


ORAU IS AN AWARD-WINNING SMALL BUSINESS PARTNER

- 2006—Eisenhower Award for Excellence in Small Business Subcontracting.
- 2006—DOE Facility Management Contractor (FMC) Small Business Diversity Achievement Award.
- 2005—Small Business Administration's Award of Distinction for exceptional Small Business programs.

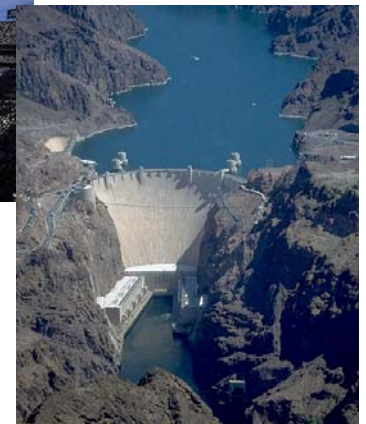
Worker health and environmental stewardship

- Former DOE worker health programs
 - Medical screening for former DOE workers and workers at deactivated beryllium vendor sites
 - Beryllium lymphocyte proliferation testing (LPT) laboratory
- Independent characterization and verification of environmental cleanup
 - DOE and NRC independent verification contractor
 - Assure cleanup meets standards
 - Key projects
 - Rocky Flats
 - Three-building project at ETTP



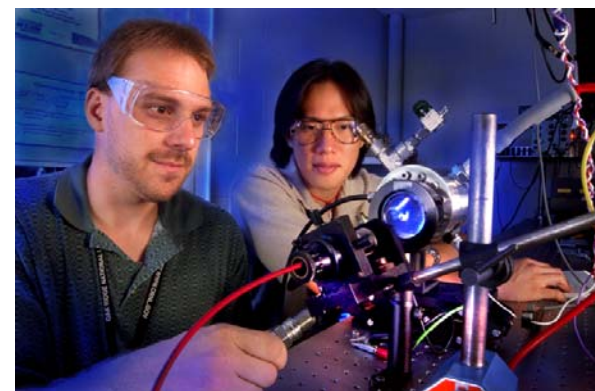
Emergency response and national preparedness

- Radiation Emergency Assistance Center/Training Site (REAC/TS)
 - National and international radiation emergency medical response
 - Continuing Medical Education courses
 - Re-establishing cytogenetics biodosimetry laboratory
- Counter terrorism/WMD operational readiness
 - Operational training and readiness program for DOE/NNSA's Office of Emergency Response
 - Bureau of Reclamation's Critical Infrastructure Protection Program
 - California Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program



Science education & scientific reviews

- Science education and research fellowship and internship programs
 - Postdoc, graduate, undergraduate, and faculty participants
 - National programs with emphasis on research, education, and workforce development
 - DHS scholars and fellows program
 - Annually 5000 participants; 700 universities; 200 research facilities; 14 federal agencies
- Scientific reviews
 - Peer reviews of research grant applications
 - Formative and summative research reviews



We will enhance national leadership in science education with a new corporate facility to support ORISE and ORAU programs

ORAU will build a Center for Science Education that reflects DOE's and ORISE's national leadership role in science education and workforce development

- Modernize science education operations
 - Colocated IT and administrative support functions
 - Consolidated communications
- Focus policy assessment initiatives—joint initiative with University of Tennessee
- Give DOE a facility with the visibility commensurate with national leadership stature



Science Education Center

Major ORAU Corporate (Non-DOE) Contracts—Current Status

- NIOSH radiation dose reconstruction program
 - Key component of legislation to compensate former DOE workers
 - High visibility; politically sensitive
- NASA Postdoctoral Program
 - Postdoc appointments at NASA centers
- Pennsylvania Department of Health research projects funded through tobacco settlement
 - Manage peer review process for research proposals
 - Assess progress toward research goals and evaluate research outcomes



Consolidate and Modernize at Two Locations

